

BOARD REPORT



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ARCH REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEM

Chinook Arch Library Board Meeting - August 7, 2025

Summer Fun with the Summer Reading Program Coordinators

The 2025 Summer Reading Program Coordinators have had a busy summer! Amy and Morgan travelled to various Chinook Arch libraries, hosted lots of exciting youth programs, created a region-wide summer book bingo challenge, and dropped lots of curious clues for community book hunts.

Here are some interesting stats from the summer:

LIBRARY

24 libraries visited

45 programs delivered

Over 200 book bingo entries received



Board Members Present

Corry Walk – Village of Arrowwood
Ron Gorzitza – Village of Barons
Tom Nish – Cardston County
Blanche Anderson – Village of Carmangay
Terry Penney – Village of Champion
Jordan Sailer – Town of Coaldale
Stephen Pain – Village of Coutts
Doreen Glavin – Municipality of Crowsnest Pass
Linda Allred – Village of Glenwood
Tory Campbell – Lethbridge County
Marie Logan (Vice Chair) – Village of Lomond
Anne Michaelis – Town of Milk River
Christopher Northcott – Village of Milo
Amanda Bustard – Town of Nanton
Melissa Jensen – Town of Nobleford
Mark Barber – Town of Pincher Creek
Dave Cox – Pincher Creek MD
Chelsey Hurt – Town of Stavely
Monica McLean – Town of Taber
Merrill Harris – Taber MD
Lorraine Kirk – Town of Vulcan
Doug Logan – Vulcan County
Derek Baron – Village of Warner
Morgan Rockenbach – County of Warner
Maryanne Sandberg – MD of Willow Creek
Allan Quinton – LPL Resource Centre

Regrets

Marsha Jensen – Town of Cardston
Lyndsay Montina – Town of Coalhurst
Jim Monteith (Treasurer) – Town of Fort Macleod
Jenn Schmidt-Rempel – City of Lethbridge
Darryl Christensen (Chair) – Town of Magrath
Crystal Neels – Town of Picture Butte
Kelly Jensen – Town of Raymond
Marilyn Forchuk – Town of Vauxhall

Not Present

Jane Johnson – Village of Barnwell
Brad Schlossberger – Town of Claresholm
Sue French – Village of Hill Spring
Justin Davis – Village of Stirling



Did You Know?

The Alberta Libraries Regulation allows for the appointment of an alternate member to a library system board! This can be a great way to ensure that your council maintains a seat at the board table when your regular appointee is unable to attend a meeting. Alternates must be appointed by council resolution.

To learn more about appointing an alternate to the Chinook Arch Library Board, please contact CEO Robin Hepher at rhepher@chinookarch.ca or 403-360-2727.

Policies Reviewed

The board reviewed and approved the following revised policies. All board policies are reviewed once every three years, or as necessary. All policies can be found on the Chinook Arch website at <https://chinookarch.ca/about-us/board-policies>.

- Purchasing Supplies and Services
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